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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on July 5, 2001, please reconsider the above-captioned patent application in view of the following remarks.

REMARKS

In the Office Action, Claims 1 and 3-44 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. 103(a) as being unpatentable over Stein et al (US 5,826,241) in view of Deming (US 4,823,264). Claim 2 was rejected under 35 U.S.C. 103(a) as being unpatentable over Stein as modified by Deming and in further view of Huberman (US 5,826,244).

Claims 1-44 remain pending in the application.

Discussion of Certain Enabling Embodiments

The following discussion is provided solely to direct the Examiner's attention to certain embodiments that support and enable a number of the pending Claims. This discussion is not intended to limit the claimed invention in any way.

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